BASKET BALL---Skating Rink Tuesday, Feb. 1st, Johnny Rays' Famous Fighting Five vs. St. Jerome's Lyceum

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COKE DEVELOPMENTS PROMISED WITH ERECTION OF NEW OVENS

Two Hundred to be Constructed For Carnegie Steel Co. at Clairton

WILL INCREASE FRICK TRADE

Opening up of New Coal Lands May Be Found Necessary—Other Steel Companies May be Forced to Arrange New Coal Supply.

Preparations are under way, authentic statement is made for the construction at Clairton of 200 coke ovens for the Carnegie Steel company a subsidiary of the United States Steel Corporation. The ovens will be built at once, and placed in use to supply a needed product at the Clairton concern. Just what the erection of the coke ovens will signify in the coal development of the valley is not known, but there is a hint of a suggestion that the H. C. Frick Coke company may find it necessary with the increasing volumn of business to open up some of their new tracts, one of which is at Dunlevy.

No intimate details are available concerning the Clairton improvement. The ovens will be built on the bottom near the river shore and in close proximity to the big steel mills there.

The H. C. Frick Coke company, which is one of the several subsidiaries of the Steel Corporation has several coal tracts which may be developed when coal is needed. At Dunlevy coal is being held until needed. No statement is made that this will be opened up in the near future, though entrances would be easy to make.

The Carnegie Steel company is only one of several that face the need of additional coke and coal. Some time the Pittsburg Steel Company at its Monessen plant will face the necessity of arranging its own supply from a point near. It is understood that when this time comes the company will construct ovens on a site owned at Wireton. This was said to be under contemplation for an improvement in 1914-15 but owing to slack industrial conditions was not considered an advisable plan to carry out. The Pittsburg Steel Company has a Greene county coal tract along the river.

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PERRY TO DO SOME OF TRAINING IN CHARLEROI

In preparing for his fight next Monday night with Bull Miller of Monessen, Jim Perry the noted Pittsburg welterweight fighter will do some of his training in Charleroi. Much interest is being manifested in the coming show.

Big Savings in the face of advancing markets. Monday last day of big sale. Don't put off. Berryman's. 191-t2

WALTER VAUGHAN PLEASES LARGE CROWD IN FAYETTE CITY RECITAL

Biggest Musical Event in History of Up-River Point is Given by That Town's Favorite Son

Walter Vaubhan, who has been gaining much fame in musical circles, appoured in his first recital at Fayette City, his home town, Friday evening, and with a well-balanced program of selections, highly pleased the large crowd from all parts of the valley which overflowed the Methodist Episcopal church there. He was assisted by Miss Elizabeth Spalter, reader and Miss Bertha Easter, pianist.

In a sense the recital was a debut in his home neighborhood for Vaughan, and the event was easily the most conspicuous musically that Fayette City has shown in years if not in history. Vaughan was in fine voice and sang his various numbers exceedingly well. His assistants shared honors, and won praise. Many of Vaughan's friends from Charleroi attended the recital.

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SUBPOENED FOLK EXPECT TO STAY

Uniontown People Anticipated Being Needed a Week in Pittsburg

SUMMONED BY GRAND JURY

The score or more Uniontown citizens many of them officials and former employes of the wrecked First National bank, who have been subpoenaed to appear before the United States grand jury in Pittsburg next Tuesday, are preparing to stay in Pittsburg about a week. The reported investigation of the affair of the First National bank, which will be made by the grand jury, it is thought will take considerable time and those subpoenaed, although professing entire ignorance as to the reason for their being summoned appear to think their presence will be required by the grand jury for some time.

The return to Uniontown of J. V. Thompson president of the wrecked bank is awaited with intense interest. He has been in New York for a week in connection with the plans for rehabilitating his affairs through a creditors' committee. It is expected that Thompson upon his arrival will issue a statement relating to the conduct of the First National bank and the reported investigation of the institution by the government.

The Ladies of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a bake sale at Carson's Grocery Saturday afternoon, Jan. 29. 190-t2

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RELIEF FUND HIGH; RETURNS INCOMPLETE

With returns not all in the fund for relief of Jews of Europe taken in Charleroi Thursday so far totals between $300 and $400 and is still growing. The Charleroi committee aided by a number of school children, spent Thursday at work securing the fund, and a ready response was noted. Just what the final result will be of the effort in Charleroi remains to be determ ned. The chairman of the local committee N. Greenberg promises a cetailed report some time next week.

Elsewhere over the United States a similar fund was taken, at the request of President Wilson and various Governors of States. Within the next few days the result will be generally known.

DONORA MEN SHARE UNDER PENSION PLAN

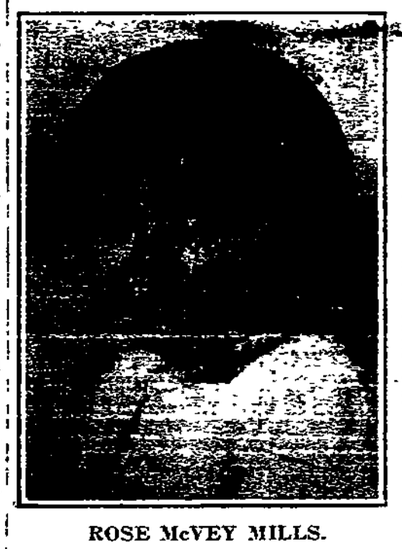
In the pension plan of the United States Steel Corporation announced this week by the board of directors, former employes of the Donora mills will be benefitted. The total amount paid to pensioners of the American Steel and Wire company was $145,281.10 and of this sum $1,103.55 was paid out at Donora.

There are seven pensioners at the Donora wire works and the Donora steel plant. At the wire works the pensioners are Dominic Tedesco, now a resident of Italy; Peter Roman, Michael Malley, George Erdeli and John Sabodas of Donora and Edward Murray of Pittsburg. Richard Bow who lives in Webster is the only pensioned from the steel works.

Good care is generally taken by the Steel Corporation of its employes. In Donora an employe who lost his sight by an unfortunate accident two years ago received $12,000 and there have been several amounts paid in excess of $5,000.

ROSE M'VEY MILLS IS WINNER OF PRIZE PIANO

Aged three, Rose McVey Mills has became the owner of a piano through the activities of her friends in a piano contest held by the Hays' Piano company of Pittsburg from their local store room. Having received 1,058 votes she was counted in as winner by the judges Wylie McCarty, John B. Schafer and D. R. Duvall.



ROSE McVEY MILLS.

The contest was a hot one from start to finish, with results being withheld until the finish. The winner is as deserving as any. She is a victim of infantile paralysis, yet is one of the most cheerful of children. She is the adopteed daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mills.

LILLIAN WALKER AT THE MAJESTIC THEATRE TODAY

The attraction at the Majestic theatre today will be "Green Stockings," a motion picture version of the famous stage success of the same name. Lillian Walker will appear in the stellar role of this picture. Helen Holmes another screen favorite will be shown in the weekly installment of "The Girl and the Game." An interesting program of pictures has been booked for Saturday.

CHARLEROI HIGH HAS TWO HARD GAMES AHEAD

High school's basketball team has two hard games this week, the first of which will be played tonight with the Monessen high school five at Monessen. This game will be staged at the new Monessen gymnasium. Charleroi high is anticipating the hardest kind of a game. Last week the night before Charleroi took over the Latrobe team, Monessen defeated the same team. The best lineup available will be used by Charleroi, including Fiedler and Lowstuter on forwards, Ryland at Center and Capt. Stahlman and Miksch at guards.

Tomorrow afternoon the Charleroi high school girls' team will play the California Normal girls' team at California. In the evening on the Charleroi floor the California Normal squad will play the Charleroi high school five.

HIGH SCHOOL ORGANIZATIONS PREPARING FOR FIRST CONCERT

Announcement is being made of the first concert to be given by high school musical organizations, including the various quartets, the orchestra and mandolin club, in the high school auditorium on Thursday, March 2. The program, which will be under the direction of Prof. I. T. Daniel, music supervisor will consist of numbers by the different organizations, solos and quartets.

LIMB BROKEN IN A FALL ON SIDEWALK

John Carroll of Sixth street was taken to a Pittsburg hospital Thursday with a broken limb, the result of a fall on the sidewalk.

Funeral of Mrs. Lamb.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Lamb aged 85 years who died Thursday morning will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with services conducted by Rev. E. N. Duty. Interment will be in the Monongahela cemetery.

PRESIDENT WHITE MAY REFUSE TO HEAD MINERS' ORGANIZATION

Thursday Conspicuous at Convention by Persistent Rumors to That Effect

MINERS' DELEGATES NAMED

William Hargest of Monongahela and John O'Leary of Roscoe Are Named Among Other Western Pennsylvanians.

In the United Mine Workers convention at Indianapolis Thursday the conspicuous feature was a persistent report that was neither denied nor affirmed that President John P. White will decline to stand for re-election at the next general election of international officers. Of special importance is this regarded to Pennsylvania miners who are planning to run Thomas Kennedy of Hazelton for the vice presidency of the international union.

Some of the miners are of the opinion that this year an increase in wages will be agreed upon and that this will be a popular result that will cause the miners as a whole to insist on White's again running for the presidency.

William Hargest of Monongahela and John O'Leary of Roscoe have been among the Western Pennsylvania delegates to the joint conference of operators and miners to be held at Mobile, Ala. Others named include Van Bittner, Pittsburg; F. P. Hanaway, Noblestown; Robert Wood, Pittsburg; James Flood, Oakdale; Thomas Hughes, Canonsburg and Sidney Davis, Amville.

STRUCK BY FALLING TREE; IS NOW IN CRITICAL CONDITION

Arthur Stringer Suffers Severe Injuries—Taken to Hospital But Shows Little Improvement

While engaged in felling trees on the Herman Carson farm at Clover Hill near California Wednesday afternoon about 2:30 o'clock, Albert Stringer, aged 65 years, was struck by a falling limb and rendered unconscious by a blow sustained on the head. His hip also was dislocated. He was removed to the Hoover home where first aid was administered by a physician and later he was taken to the Memorial hospital, Monongahela, where he regained consciousness at 2 o'clock Thursday morning, after 12 hours.

It required several stitches to close the wound in his head. In felling a large tree it broke off a branch of another nearby, which fell, striking Mr Stringer. The injured man was reported to be very little improved if any.

EXPECT CAPTURE OF ESCAPED MAN

State Police Believe They Have Surrounded Dangerous Negro Near Irwin

SLEPT MONDAY NEAR JAIL

Officers of the State police anticipate capturing today Charles Douglas the escaped convicted murderer from Westmoreland county. They think they have him surrounded in the Herminie woods, near Irwin.

Douglas on Monday slept in a barn not a hundred yards from the county jail at Greensburg from which he escaped, the police say. The next night he slept in a barn on the Keagy farm less than a mile from the jail and on Wednesday night he stayed with friends near the Edna No. 2 mine, about four miles from Irwin. Through friends at Edna No. 2 mine Douglas told the police that he would never be taken alive because it only meant dreary days in jail and then electrocution. He is armed and dangerous according to these friends. They were unable to say where he had procured the arms.

Albert Pebrowski, who escaped from jail with Douglas and Arthur Stevens, was captured in his brother George's boarding house near Apollo. The brothers were brought to Greensburg Thursday and placed in jail. George Pebrowski is charged with aiding a prisoner to escape.

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Philathea class of the Washington Avenue church will hold a bake sale at Wilson's Undertaking rooms Saturday February 5. 190-t2

CLAIMS INITIATION WAS MUCH TOO SEVERE

Manifold Man Asserts Barrel Stave Treament, With Explosion of Torpedo As Incidental is Extremely Painful Sort of Ritual.

In an unusual suit just filed Joseph Lasut has filed a claim for $2,000 damages against John Whiteman, Hugh Haggerty, George Ravorie and Joe Husar, respectively president, vice president, secretary and treasurer of the Manifold nest of the Order of Owls. The claim is based on the alleged mistreatment of the plaintiff during his initiation into this order. According to his statement he was put through a rather exciting ritual. The alleged offense was committed on October 26, 1915.

Theplaintiff avers that under the guise of an initiation he was badly beaten and injureed and was subjected to other mistreatment. He avers that Steve Matula, acting with the approbation of the other defendants, struck the plaintiff with an instrument made from a couple of barrel staves to which was attached an explosive, commonly known as a torpedo. When hit this torpedo exploded, wounding the plaintiff.

Lasut avers that, because of the assault made on him he suffered much pain and distress and was confined to his home for a period of five weeks and was required to have the care and attention of a physician. As a result he lost his earning for that period of time.

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SALVATION AND CITIZENSHIP

Discussing proposed revival and evangelistic meetings to be held in Connellsville the Connellsville Courier defends the movement sensibly in an editorial that is worth copying as follows:

"'Money spent in conserving the morals of a community is money well invested,' is the way a minister defends the whirlwind campaign of evangelism to be inaugurated in Connellsville.

"While the statement is undeniable it does not wholly explain the apparent lack of effort on the part of the ministers to accomplish what they hope to have Evangelist Jones do. But the ministers excuse themselves on the ground that experience has shown that a stranger can arouse more feeling in a community than the Lord's annointed established therein. There seems to be a certain amount of hard ground which the most persistent poking of the home ploughs fails to disturb. To break it requires a foreign agency. Once broken, however, it yields ready and regular crops of Christian endeavor.

"The Courier does not always approve religious methods but it never and it always supports the mission of the church as embodied in the opening declaration. It is the duty of a public newspaper to support any public movement or agency which conserves the morals of the community. The manner and form of conservation are immaterial.

"The Sawdust Trail that leads to Salvation also leads to Good Citizenship."

THE "DOLLAR" NATION'S SOUL

More than $150,000,000 was spent for American foodstuffs and clothes in 1915 for the poverty-stricken people in Belgium and other European states, says the Washington Reporter.

Cash contributions for the people of the Teutonic empires amounted to $25,000,000. The balance of the great charity went to people of the allied powers, but under military domination through conquest of the Germanic allies, Belgium getting the greatest relief.

The tremendous totals attest to the great heart of the principal neutral people of the world. It is a noble showing by the country that is made to suffer the opprobium of being a "dollar nation." It puts to shame the inconsiderate wretches who take joy in applying to our people the scornful epithet.

The dollar nation has kept millions from starving to death and perishing from cold and disease. Yet we have no soul or sentiment. areonly after the dollar. It is a great lie.

Certain Donora persons, still stinging apparently from Charleroi high school's victory over Donora in a literary contest last spring are opposing a meet suggested for this spring on the ground that it will take the attention of high school students too much away from preparation for commencement time. That would be a downright shame, now wouldn't it?

Getting down to bottim rock facts commencement means very little indeed to the future success of the high school boy or girl. That he or she has completed the course of study honorably and has a working knowledge of the important things learned is vastly more important than the celebration of commencement days. It takes deep study and thought to prepare for these literary contests and develops power of concentration on the part of the students. More, it prepares participants for future appearances before a critical world, bringing out the strong points of each one's character. It can't help it. Detrimental to school work?—bosh! If they're afraid why don't they say so.

Three times Thursday the Mail was called upon to investigate rumors of deaths by reason of accident, coming from ordinarily authentic and believable sources. Still this is no record. It is somewhat of a daily occurrence in a newspaper office to demolish a rumor or two. That this is true is rather deplorable, but it indicates the imaginative tendencies the human race possesses. Some rumors do more good than harm, since they afford otherwise idle minds occupation and nobody loses by it. But when it comes to dealing with such things as death or vast damage to property people ought to be pretty careful what they tell.

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ELECTRIC SPARKS

P. C. Knox is a great lawyer—and a statesman no doubt—but the cold wave now filtering down the valley can stir up just as much enthusiasm and warmth as P. C.. Yes sir, just as much.—Canonsburg Notes. Here appears a case of where a wish is father to the thought and that's all.

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One of the most disappointing things we know of is getting a good start on reading a choice bit of what appears to be well balanced verse only to discover after all its plain prose.

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One can't help wondering how it happens that so many English lecturers are coming to America to tell how to stop the war unless it is—but then brave men like most lecturers wouldn't fear conscription.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Grippe.

When you awake at 4 a. m.. with whiskers on your tongue.
And fancy an apartment house is sitting on each lung.
When you continuously sneeze. excepting when you cough.
And at your throat you feel a clutch you cannot shake off
When grinning germs sit around in squads to wait their turn to swat
It's got you.

You may have taken ice cold baths what time the lark arises.
You may have done quite everything old Doc Dixon advises;
You may have cut out drinks and smokes, plum pudding and mince pie,
And walked a good eight miles a day beneath the open sky.
But your hygiene was all in vain, all your preparedness failed you.
It nailed you.

Cheer up, it only lasts a week; you really shouldn't mind it,
'Twill pass in time and probably leave something worse behind it.
But in this curious old world that we are living in
Man's greatest need, outside of cash, is mental discipline.
So lie there, while each hour the pain that racks your soul grows rougher,
And suffer.

"Mh deah! I am all upset."
"Jilted?"
"Bless you no! Suffrage!"
"What now?"
"Well, you know I am a desperate anti, but I have just made the horrible discovery that our slogan or what-evah-you-call-it is 'Woman's place is in the home.'"
"Yeh-a! I have heard of it. But why should that upset you my deah?"
"Why, can't you guess? What is there to do in the home?"
"Oh you clevah girl! Really, I nevah had thought of that."—Puck.

Did you get your Bleached Muslin and other bargains. Big Sale ends Monday, January 31. Berryman's. 191-t2

NORTH CHARLEROI.

Mrs. Sara Farley and Mrs. William Farley of McKeesport were Sunday guests of the former's son, Frances Farley.

Mr. and Mrs. Brant Provins and daughter Miss Edna returned to their home in Uniontown after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Flenniken.

Mrs. John Myers is spending the week with relatives in Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eyman and son Albert, Jr., were recent Pittsburg callers.

Mrs. Frances Farley is recuperating, after being confined to her room with pneumonia.

Hiram Myers is ill at his home with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Coatsworth and daughter and Miss Winona Coatsworth of California were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Whigham.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Bosworth and daughter, Sherley were recent callers in McKeesport.

Mrs. Thomas Cocain is slowly recovering after being confined to her home with the grip.

J. B. Phillips and son Jack were visiting relatives in Monessen.

Mrs. C. H. Wernke has returned home after visiting relatives in McKeesport.

Ethan Culp of Belle Vernon was a caller here Wednesday.

John Catring and Cyril Phillips of Monessen visited at the home of the latter's brother, J. B. Phillips.

Miss Teresita Wernke is visiting friends and relatives in McKeesport.

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WHERE REASON RULES

By HOPE AINSLIE.

"It's just this way, Uncle Ted. There's a girl up home, Betty Roberts, and we used to be rather sweet on each other. We both went to the same church and the academy, and I suppose I did write letters to her, and so on when I was seventeen or around there. Mother likes her, and she's always said I'd marry Betty. Last year I went after that concession and met Mrs Leonard. She loaned her collection of Chinese porcelains to the exhibit and I give you my word, Uncle Ted, from the instant we looked at each other I didn't give a rap whether I ever saw Betty or any other woman as long as I lived."

"Good looker, Jack?"

"She's just divine." Jack spoke fervently, reverently. "She's been a widow for four years, married at nineteen to a brute—"

"All good-looking widows' husbands were brutes," murmured the major. "Go on."

"That's all. I told her I loved her and she was giving me at least a chance until mother came out to Frisco and queered the whole thing. She met Mrs. Leonard at Aunt Anna's, and told her I was an impressionable boy, a perfect slave to sympathy and all that rot, always used to being petted, etc. Finally showed her Betty's picture as the little girl sweetheart back East waiting for me to get through my travels. You know the way she can put a thing over with that tone of her voice and her eyes. Well, I didn't have a chance after she had left. Dolores left for Santa Barbara the next day."

"Humph," mused the major. "Now she comes here. Did she know you were with me at the Springs?"

"No, sir. We haven't written."

"Well, I don't blame you, mind, Jackie. She's a wonderfully attractive woman. And you're twenty-six, you know, old enough to toddle without the maternal apron strings. I should say, Lucia is a fine woman, good sister to me, but still—what's this Betty like?"

"Oh, she's all right," said Jack vaguely.

"There goes the widow," said the major, suddenly leaning forward. "Gad, she can ride!"

Jack vaulted the veranda rail and made for the mounting stone to meet the chestnut mare as she galloped up the shore road. His voice was a bit husky when he spoke to Mrs. Leonard, slim and erect in her black habit, her hair wind-blown around her face, her eyes dark and evasive as he leaned toward her.

"Don't go in yet," he begged as the boy took the bridle. "I must speak to you. You've avoided me ever since you found I was here. Dolores—"

"Hush, Jack. Someone will hear you, you foolish boy—"

"Don't call me a boy," he swung back miserably. "I'm not. Come along the pine road just a little way. You wouldn't speak to me hardly at lunch. I know you were sorry even to see me here—"

"Oh, no, I was not. It was a pleasant surprise, really it was, Jack."

"A pleasant surprise. It made me perfectly mad to see you again—"

"The train service to Santa Barbara is quite regular," she said demurely.

"You wouldn't have seen me. You left without a word. You believed every last thing mother told you about me and Betty."

"Did I?"

"You cared, didn't you? Even though you went away. Never mind Betty. I haven't thought of anyone in the world but you for the last six months. Uncle Ted took me under his wing and brought me South because I wasn't fit for anything else."

She smiled, leaning forward as he crushed her hands in his, and quoted softly under her breath—

I had not dreamt that love would stay,
Yet here he lingers many a day

"Don't go away from me again, Dolores. I swear I'll follow you this time to the ends of the world—"

She laughed, her eyes brimful of tenderness.

"Oh, Jack, Jack, why didn't you follow me then if you really cared."

The major came leisurely toward them, the late afternoon mail in his hands.

"By George, Jack boy, here's news. Good afternoon, Mrs. Leonard. Betty Roberts eloped with Batcheller Phillips Saturday."

"I know Betty," said Dolores gently. "We are distant cousins, but she writes to me."

"Yes? Writes to Jack, too, I should say. Here's one with a return line on it, 'Mrs. Batcheller Phillips, Washington, D. C., Hotel Grosvenor.' Break the news to us, Jackie."

Jack opened the letter with a frown and then smiled. He handed it to Dolores. It was typically Betty.

Dear Jack: I know what everybody'll say, and I don't care. I've always liked Batty and I'd like to know why I can't marry him if I want to. So we're eloping. I'm just as sick and tired as you are of forever being hurled at your head. I've written Dolores—she's my cousin. I wish you all kinds of luck. Happily,

BETTY.

Jack's shoulders unconsciously straightened. He turned resolutely to the major.

"Uncle, Ted, I'd like to have you know it first that Dolores and I are engaged," he said. "God bless Betty."

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By virtue of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, and to me directed, on which inquisition and exemption are waived, there will be exposed at Public Sale at the Sheriff's Sales Room, in the Court House Washington, Washington County, Pa., Saturday, the twelfth day of February, 1916 at 1:30 o'clock P. M., of said day, the following described Personal Property, viz.

Real Estate:—All the right, title and interest of Barbara Certic in and to all that certain one lot of ground situate in West Bethlehem Township, Washington County, Pennsylvania, known and designated as Lot No. 3 in the plan of lots laid out by Walter R. Hawkins and Robert L. Hoskinson, which is called the "Gayman Plan of Lots," which is of record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Washington County, Pennsylvania, in Plan Book No. 3 Pages 90-91, the said lot being more particularly described as follows; Fronting 30 feet on Railroad Street and extending back of equal width 120 feet to Daisy alley, excepting and reserving all the Pittsburg or river vein of coal in and underlying the said lot of ground, together with the mining rights, also excepting all the oil and gas and mining and developing privileges as set forth in a lease to the Manufacturers Light and Heat Company, dated November 2,1905, subject also to three rights of way for pipe lines of the said gas company. On which is erected a one story three room frame dwelling house.

Taken in execution as the property of Barbara Certic at the suit of Domenick Serenta.

Sheriff's office, Washington, Pa. January 20. 1916.

FRANK B. WICKERHAM, Sheriff.

J21-28-T1.

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Administratrix Notice.

Estate of William Sanson Roberts, Late of the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary to the above estate have been granted to the undersigned and all parties knowing themselves indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims against same are requested to present same for payment.

Mrytle M. Roberts,
Administratrix,
Charleroi, Pa.

Guy Moffitt, Atty.

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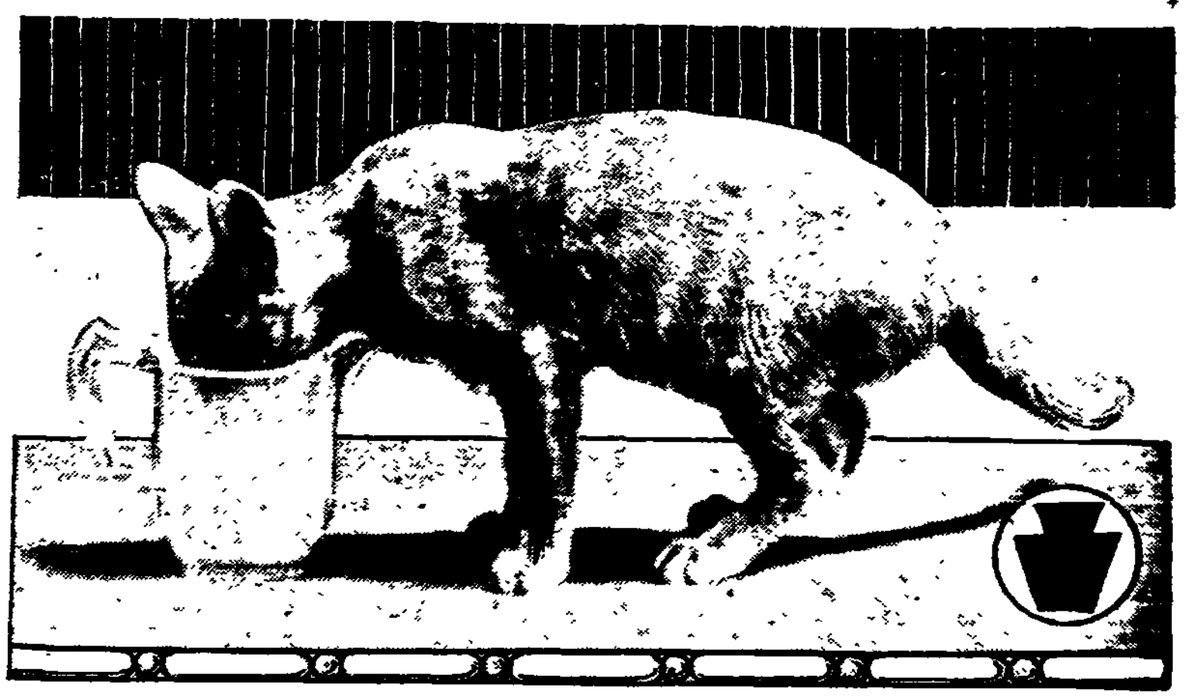
THE CAT'S BREAKFAST



It is hard to blame the cat in this instance; the opportunity was altogether too tempting, and the milkman came at four o'clock and the householder arose at seven. Kitty was on the job first.

How is your milk delivered? In properly capped and sealed bottles or in any convenient receptacle which is set out for the milkman? Unfortunately the old custom of setting out miscellaneous receptacles is still continued in many places.

Too much care cannot be exercised in regard to your milk supply, particularly if it is used for feeding infants. At this season of the year it is not difficult to secure its delivery at a sufficiently low temperature, but during the warmer weather it should not be allowed to reach a temperature of over 60 degrees Fahrenheit.

Care should be exercised that the tops of the bottles are not contaminated by handling with soiled fingers. Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, Commissioner of Health, has issued a special warning against the refilling of bottles without the proper sterilization after they have been once used for the delivery of milk. This should be insisted upon by the consumer; otherwise they may be a ready source for the transmission of disease from houses on the milkman's route where disease exists, to the homes of other consumers.

THE LAST TWO DAYS

of JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

January Clearance and Inventory Sale Ends Monday, January 31st. We again urge you to come in and get your share of the bargains. From the best reports of the most reliable wholesale and jobbing houses all manner of domestic and other merchandise that are treated witn acids or dyes will be hard to procure, and of course the price will go higher. There are probably hundreds of items in our stock today that could not be replaced at the price. Mill men are refusing orders on all dark colored percales, domets, etc. The jobbing price of the well known, old reliable Alabama Cheviots is now 9½c and Lancaster Ginghams now wholesale cost 7½c per yard. What can a retailer do? In all sincerity we advise all our patrons to look well to your needs and provide as early as possible for your wants for the next six months. In Ladies' and Misses' ready-to-wear garments there is no need to hurry, there will always be plenty. We would advise you to go slow however and examine all goods for quality. Good, dependable merchandise will be no less this spring. Be assured also that this firm is over 25 years old, almost 20 years in this town, and we have the buying power of three big stores and the record of paying every bill ever bought in full. That splendid record is what gives our buying organization the lowest prices ever quoted on reliable merchandise, and you so often hear it said if you want anything good get it at **BERRYMAN'S.** and that is the reputation the big store wants to keep.

We have tried our best to anticipate the price raise and have saved you lots of money we are sure. but if jobbers cannot secure, then it becomes a hard job to keep stocks filled up.

In our Men's Department we are offering a big lot of Mens and Boys suits of the most reliable makes at greatly reduced prices. We again urge you to get your suit or overcoat for Man or Boy right now. We know you will save. In all our experiences we have never had a market like this. All calculations of the old timers are upset. No man knows this future. If goods are to be had at right prices, we will have them---but again we urge you to come to the last days of our sale and get your share of calicoe, muslin, ginghams and cheviots while old prices last. There are hundreds of Reduced Prices and Monday is the last day. If you would share in the savings, come both days.

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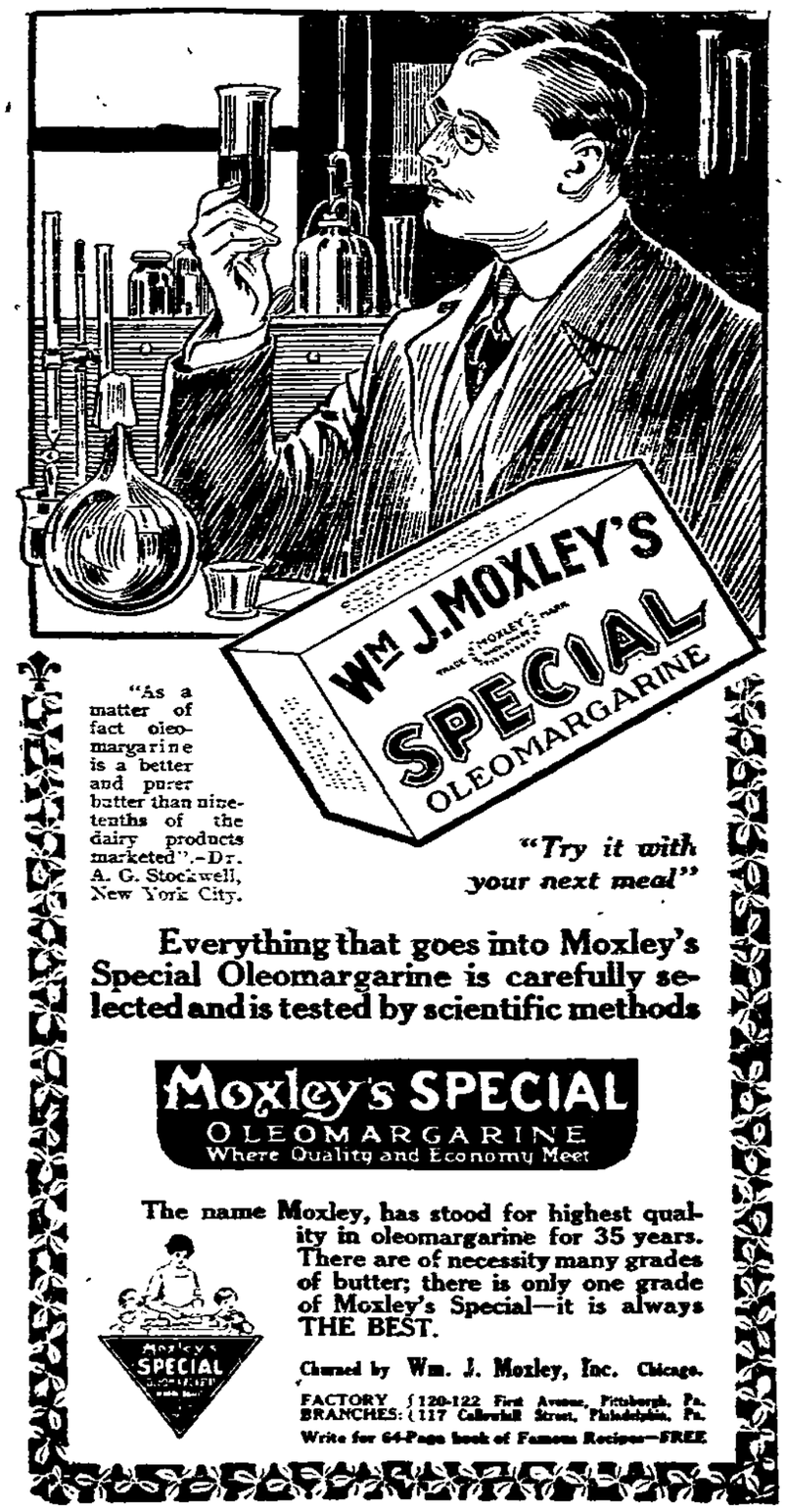

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PITTSBURG DISTRICT INCLUDES MILLSBORO

Ruling of Interstate Commerce Commission Increases Territory for Shipments—Will Particularly Help Southern Part of the County.

A ruling of the Interstate Commerce Commission increasing the 40-mile Pittsburg shipping district to take in territory as far south as Millsboro, this county, is one of the most important and beneficial industrial developments that has recently affected Washington county. The commission ruled on an air-line radius of 40 miles from Pittsburg as the limitation of the Pittsburg shipping zone. Heretofore the limit was Brownsville.

The new ruling means that all coal in Southern Washington county can be shipped to the Great Lakes under the Pittsburg district rate which is considerably less than the rate outside this district. The Besco coal and coke works will come within the revised district and coal shippers between Pittsburg and Millsboro will get the benefit of the decrease.

The ruling is calculated to not only stimulate coal production in Southern Washington county but is expected to materially enhance the value of the fuel inasmuch as it can be mined and laid down on the lake front at a much greater profit.

FISHERMEN ATTRACTED OUT BY WARM WEATHER OF THURSDAY

Crannies and Nooks Call Them—Field Fire Reported Near Washington, the County Seat.

Fishing parties, boys with their tops and marbles congregated at favorable spots for engaging in these pastimes and the first field fire for the year 1916 were all incidents of Thursday near the county seat resulting from the weather conditions of the past few days unrivalled in the history of the past for Washington and the county.

The field fire was on the Eagleson farm just west of Washington. The flames swept over from three to four acres but the property damage was small. The progress of the fire was watched closely and property protected whenever threatened.

With the thermometer hovering around 70 degrees, angling fiends hied themselves to various nooks and spent the day fishing. Eleven persons were counted on the bank of the stream running down the valley to Lone Pine. Some were fortunate and brought home nice strings while others had the usual "fisheman's luck."

The happy youth not to be outdone was on the street spinning his top and showing his prize collection of marbles carefully guarded from last year. No fishing was reported in the vicinity of Charleroi.

MARRIED AT PITTSBURG WILL LIVE IN CHARLEROI

The wedding of Miss Phoebe Boddice daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Boddice of Monessen and John J. Howard of South Brownsville took place in the parlors of the Seventh Avenue Hotel at Pittsburg Wednesday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William J. Law, pastor of the Perryopolis M. E. church. The couple left for a trip to Washington, D. C. and other points. Mr. Howard is employed as a telegraph operator by the P. R. R. company. They will go to housekeeping in Charleroi.

OFFICERS ARE ELECTED BY THE METHODIST CHOIR

Officers were elected by the choir of the Methodist Episcopal church Thursday evening at a called meeting of members. The following were selected: President, Lambert Heaton; vice president, Earl Nicholson; secretary, Miss Myrtle Murray.

MISS JAY AND MISS CLEMENT ENTERTAIN CLASS THURSDAY

The regular monthly meeting of the Gleaner Sunday school class of the First Christian church was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ritchie on Crest avenue Thursday with Misses Louise Jay and Charlotte Clement as the hostesses. A brief business session was followed by a social hour with fancy work and music as diversions. The hostesses served refreshments.

ORGANIZATION MEETING HELD BY LIGHT BEARER SOCIETY

A local branch of the Light Bearer's Society a Presbyterian organization for children was organized at the First Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon. Temperance and missionary work will be taken up by the young people and they will also form a Junior choir which will sing at the Sunday morning services at the First Presbyterian church. There are twenty one charter members in the society. Officers elected were: President, Edith Jenkins; vice president, Ethel Wilson; secretary, Anna Dittman; treasurer, Arthur Pancook; ushers, Marguerite Beaver and Sherman Mason. The meetings will be held each Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Furnished rooms are always in demand. Advertise that extra one you have in the Classified column of The Mail. 176-tf

COTTAGE PRAYER MEETINS DRAW LARGE ATTENDANCE

Cottage prayer meetings were held by the First Presbyterian church on Tuesday evenings and Thursday evenings of this week. All the meetings were well attended. This evening meetings will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Woodhall of Washington avenue and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spence at Lock No. 4. The meetings are being held preparatory to evangelistic meeting which are planned for February.

When you want something don't wait for it to turn up out bring it around with a Classified advertisement The Mail. 176-tf

LOCAL ODD FELLOWS AT PAST GRAND MEETING

A number of Charleroi Odd Fellows attended the meeting of the Past Grand association of the county and witnessed the third degree work conferred upon a class of candidates by a Canonsburg team at Monongahela Thursday night. Addresses at a social meeting were made by different ones.

The Classified Column is a medium between the one who wishes to sell and the one who is ready to buy. Get together by using the Classified Column of The Mail. 176-tf

COUNTRY GIRL IS EFFICIENT

She Doesn't Need Uplifter to Direct Her Mental Energies, Is Writer's Opinion.

"It is time that the country girl were getting her share of attention in the effort to advance the conditions of rural life." This is the announcement of one of those critics of rural conditions who exist in such large numbers in the large cities, whose self-complacency is equaled only by their ignorance of everything rural, and whose condescension is almost as irritating as their assumption of superiority—if such a thing can be imagined.

The particular specimen of the obnoxious species whose words we have quoted finds that the country girl has been terribly neglected in the scope of the rural uplift, the Rochester Democrat observes. Only think of it, state universities send out scores of lecturers to men, but none to women. Crop demonstration cars do not contain a single exhibit to show the country girl "the real possibilities of enriching her home." Isn't it shameful?

Naturally, it would never occur to a critic of this type that there might be a reason for such significant omissions, and that this reason might be the ability of the country girl to carve out her own career without the help of busybodies masquerading as uplifters. The fact of the matter is that the typical country girl needs assistance in directing her mental energies about as much as a German business man needs a training in efficiency.

Did Service to Society.

In the years 1649-50 there arose a strange party in England called the Diggers. They might be seen in large numbers in some localities, diligently digging up and cultivating the waste lands and out-of-the-way places. They objected to the land being held by a few proud covetous men, "to bag and barn up the treasures of the earth from others." Yet, as one of their leaders said, "they intended to meddle only with what was common and untilled, and to make it fruitful for the use of man." Gerard Winstanley, their chief leader, urged that the poor should be settled on the common or waste lands, and that in this way the country would yield much larger crops, the hungry be fed, and times be made better for everybody. The Diggers were very peaceable people, and not at all disposed to make trouble, but the movement was suppressed by the authorities. Nevertheless it had its influence in later years, for from 1760 to 1820 more than a thousand acts of parliament were adopted for inclosing and dividing waste lands.

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Read todays ad. It may interest you. It is true. Berryman's. 191-t2

PERSONALS.

Miss FlorenceMontgomery attended the Vaughan recital at Fayette City Thursday evening.

Miss Bertha Planton is ill at her home at North Charleroi.

Mrs. J. B. Tussing of Washington avenue spent Friday in Pittsburg.

Guy Moffitt, Esq., Earl Taylor and Tom Mosier were in Fayette City Thursday evening.

Miss Sadie Tippins spent Friday in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Joe Boyd of Donora was a visitor Thursday with her sister Mrs. Anthony Schmidt.

Don Allen and Al Steck visited at Pittsburg Friday.

Mrs. William Brounce of Lincoln avenue visited with her daughter Mrs. Robert Lowe of Donora Friday.

Mrs. L. W. Greenawald and daughter Miss Ethel have returned from Pittsburg where they visited several days with relatives.

Borough clerk Ira L. Nickeson is convalescing from illness at his home on Meadow avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Albright spent Friday evening in Pittsburg.

A. J. Rochow of the Excelsior Motor Manufacturing and Supply company of Chicago has been the guest of C. W. Albright Jr., for several days.

Mrs. John Lane has returned to her home on McKean avenue after undergoing an operation for appendicitis at the Memorial hospital, Monongahela.

Our Big Clearance Sale ends Monday, January 31. Berryman's. 191-t2

HOME FROM PHILIPPINES FOR A BRIEF FURLOUGH

M. H. Booth who has been located in the Philippine Island with the United States cavalry is home on a furlough. He has been eight years in the service and had served five years in the Philippines. Lately he has been stationed at Douglas, Arizona, guarding the border. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Booth of North Charleroi.

CLASSIFIED

WANTED—Woman with experience to help cook, no others need apply. Casino restaurant, 427 McKean avenue, Charleroi. 182-tf

FOR SALE—Five roomed house, corner Ninth and Fallowfield. Inquire Mrs. Decamps corner Washington and Eighth. 187-t15-p

FOR SALE—One golden oak bedroom suit in good condition. Reasonabel price. Inquire Mrs. S. J. Richardson 401 Lincoln avenue. 190-tf

LOST—Tire chain on Fifth street Thursday noon. Reward if returned to 406 Washington avenue. 191-t1